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KAISER AND SON ABDICATE THEIR DEMOLISHED THRONE

All Germany in Revolt—Berlin siezed—Maubeuge Falls to British—Terms Before the Reichstag

PARIS, Nov. 9.—The abdication of Emperor William is officially announced from Berlin, according to a Havas dispatch from Basel.

LONDON, Nov. 9. — The official Berlin wireless states that the kaiser has decided to abdicate and the crown prince to renounce the throne.

(Note.—The German official wireless is the accepted means of German government for broadcasting news to the world. This matter is usually sent from the wireless station at Nauen).

HUNS REVOLT; SEIZE BERLIN

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 9.—The uprising in northwestern Germany, according to the only direct news from Germany early today, is reported to have spread to Hanover, Oldenburg, and other cities. Generally the revolt is not attended by serious disturbances.

Four thousand men attempted to overthrow the military authorities in Altona, across the Elbe from Hamburg, but the city now is quiet. The German guards at the Danish border have been ordered by the soldiers' councils to remain at their posts temporarily. Travelers arriving from Germany report that the disaffection apparently is confined to the ninth army corps, which was recruitted in Schlesswig-Holstein.

TROTSKY RESIGNS AS DANGER APPROACHES

ZURICH, Nov. 9.—Leon Trotsky war minister and former foreign minister to the Russia Bolsheviki government, has resigned, according to a dispatch today from Helsingfors. M Skharsky is reported to have succeeded him.

Twelve thousand counter-revolutionists from Pskoff are reported to be marching on Petrograd.

PARIS, Nov. 9.—Kurt Eisner, a Munich nwspaper man and prominent in Socialist circles is leader of the revolution which has broken out in the Bavarian capital, it appears from information received here. Some reports resignate him as president of the Bavarian republic which has been proclaimed.

PARIS, Nov. 9.—The French resumed their advance on the whole front this morning, it was announced by the war office.

"During the night there was artillery and machine gun activity at several points on the front," the communique said.

"This morning our troops again started their march forward on the whole line."

HUNS TO ACCEPT TERMS BY WIRELESS

PARIS, Nov. 9.—It is probable that the German reply to the allied terms for an armistice will be brought back by the same courier — took them to German headquarters at Spa yesterday. Under the circumstances it is believed the reply cannot be delivered before the middle of this afternoon, at the very earliest.

The German government, however, may use the wireless in which case the plenipotentiaries at Marshal Foch's headquarters will have only to ratify the decision thus conveyed.

Reichstag to Debate.

It is regarded probable in well informed circles that Prince Maximilian, the German Imperial Chancellor, will today communicate the terms of the armistice to a committee of Reichstag party leaders and will himself convey their vote to authorize the plenipotentiaries to sign the armistice.

ROME, Nov. 9.—"No war event is reported on the Italian front," says the war office statement issued under Friday's date. "The conditions of the armistice are being carried out."

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 9 — The workmen's and soldiers' council has blocked the Kiel canal by throwing warships lengthwise across it, according to dispatches received here today.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 9.—An unconfirmed report was received here today that insurgents have seized Berlin, setting fire to the postoffice and city hall.

A general railway strike has been called in Germany, according to a dispatch to the Social Demokraten today. The dispatch said that there are 200,000 deserters in Berlin.

THE ARCH FIEND ALSO RESIGNS

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 9. — Field Marshal Hindenburg has decided to resign in the event the kaiser abdicates. All railway communications to Berlin has been stopped

All railroads in the neighborhood of Berlin are being guarded by military authorities. A strong patrol is stationed in the streets of the city day and night.

As a result of a strike at the Krupp works, 75,000 workers are idle.

REFUGEE GARMENTS EXPECTED

The Richmond Red Cross Chapter is awaiting the material for 800 refugee garments which will have to be made up here The material is several days over due, owing to the epidemic which has delayed all shipments. They are expected here surely by Monday, when help of all kinds will be needed.

SOCIALIST NAMED CHANCELLOR; WILL FORM NEW GOVERNMENT

LONDON, Nov. 9.—The kaiser has abdicated. The event so long and often rumored, has come to pass at last. It is announced in a German wireless message quoting from a proclamation of Prince Max of Baden, the Chancellor, that the Crown Prince, too, must go.

A constitutional German assembly is then to vote upon the form of government for the new Germany. It will decide whether there shall be a new emperor or a German republic.

In the meantime, Prince Max remains Chancellor until a regency is settled. He announces his intention to appoint a Socialist, Deputy Ebert, Imperial Chancellor for the duration of the regency.

The kaiser was forced out. He resisted his inevitable fate to the very last mement. The revolution and Prince Max' resignation, which was an ultimatum, brought the climax.

CAMP LEWIS QUOTA ORDERED TO REPORT

Notices were sent yesterday to the men who are to make up the contingent leaving for Camp Lewis on November 14. The quota of 20 men will entrain at 8:30 for the northern camp.

The men called are as follows: J. E. McQuanie, Clarence Andrews, Wm. L. Smedley, Royal M. Reynolds, Edward Landers, Paul Wm. Jepson, Lugi Di Cesare, Louis Clauser, George M. Bincent, Clifford E. Raber, George W. Mumrill, Romeo Silva, Wm. R. Lea, Wm. E. Carey, H. H. Jensen, Robert Kilpatrick, Harry Wm. Scharkoff, Deane Kiston, Oscar Cardson.

While the following men passed the physical examination held yesterday:

E. H. Merritt, R. E. Ellison, H. J. Lloyd, A. Medici, J. C. Herman, A. E Nystrom, V. Brow, C. J. O'Niell, W. J. Carlisle, C. E. Comstock, B. Repetto, J. T. Ware, H H Jenson, A. A. Faria, J. J. Riepling, J. J. Thomas, L. L.Fisher, M. E.Traganza, J E Anderson, J. Pauly, J. H. Towers, J G. Watson.

FIVE NEW CASES AND ONE DEATH

The new "flu" cases dropped to five yesterday and one death for the first time The dead: Mrs. Mary Anderson at the Red Cross hospital.

The epidemic is now in its last stages and in a few days the cases will cease according to the present outlook. With no deaths in 24 hours the condition is much brighter.

The persistent wearing of the masks for a few days more completely wipe out the malady, so stick with it everybody, for if you don't you will not only get sick, but also get fined.

The shows and schools will open in all probability after this week and things will get back into their normal groove.

RICHMOND BOY IS MISSING IN FRANCE

Adolph C. Bauer, Jr., who was mentioned as missing in last night's dispatches is a local boy and resided at 35 Eleventh Street, previous to his inductment in the draft. Though he is mentioned as missing is no reason to think that he is killed as he may be a prisoner or just momentarily lost from his command.

Bauer who is 24 years old left with the first draft contingent on November 5, 1917, and has been fighting in France for sometime. He was employed at the Standard Oil Grease Works.

His mother and brother live in their home on Eleventh Street, while of his five sisters, Mrs. Ripley resides on Second Street and Mrs. Brooks on Third Street, the others also married live out of town. His father is dead.

He was quite popular here and it is hoped that word of his safety will reach here soon.

CHRISTMAS BOXES AT R. C. HEADQUARTERS

The Christmas boxes in which the presents are to be sent over-seas are at the local Red Cross headquarters and will be supplied to all persons holding a label from a soldier or sailor. These boxes then are to be filled, after which they will be inspected by the package committee and if according to regulations will be sent away.

If you have received your label, get your box today, fill it and send it away, do not wait until the last minute, but avoid the rush. The limit is November 20 for soldiers and November 15 for sailors. Get your package in on time.

The funeral of little Irene Mathos will take place Monday morning at 11:30 with interment at St. Joseph cemetery.

PLOT TO WRECK S.O. PLANT CHARGED TO R. B. BRYANT

Is Also Accused of Treatening Life of Ass't. Superintendent Hanna—Will Sta d Trial Tommorow

MAUBEUGE FALLS IN BRITISH ADVANCE

LONDON, Nov. 9. — The British forces have captured the fortress of Maubeuge, Field Marshal Haig announcel today.

South of Maubeuge the British are pushing eastward and are well beyond the Avesnes-Maubeuge road

British troops in Flanders have crossed the River Scheldt on a wide front north of Tournal and have established themselves on the east bank, according to Field Marshal Haig's announcement today.

AMERICANS KEEP UP FIGHTING

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON HE SEDAN FRONT, Nov. 9.—The Americans started in today with the knowledge that with Germany's action on the armistice conditions imminent, an early cessation of hostilities was among the possibilities. This fact, however, only appeared to make the men more anxious to accomplish as much as possible against the enemy while he was deciding what response to make.

MRS. WILLS IS MINISTERING ANGEL

Mrs. Wills, the Richmond School nurse is doing noble work in this epidemic and is about the hardest worker of them all, for she is on the go 26 hours out of every 24, visiting, aiding and ministering to the sick who have no one else to take care of them.

She in spite of her weakness makes her rounds everyday and helps everyone she can. One place she may administer first aid to some lately stricken flu" victim, then at another cook and feed a whole bed-ridden family and continue this all day, until she is ready to drop from utter exhaustion

It is compassion at its highest pitch for the biggest service that man can do is to serve others, then she who serves unflinchingly not one hour or one day, but all day, every day, is surely deserving of greatest honor and thanks.

'RAY! CHARLEY IS MARRIED AT LAST

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 9.—Charlie Chaplin, famed wearer of amoustache and big feet is married.

He went and did it October 23, and kept it quiet until today. Mildred Harris, film actress is the bride.

TRUCKEE WOMAN ILL

Mrs W. Lichenberger of Truckee who was visiting Mrs. A J. Leo, nard, 313 Eighth Street, is critical ly ill at the Cottage Hospital of heart trouble. She is being attended by Dr. F. C. Campbell.

Robert B. Braynt, foreman in the power department of the Standard Oil Company was arrested by Federal agents on a charge of devising a scheme to defraud Assistant Superintendent R. W. Hanna and the Standard Oil Company. Mr. Bryant was arrested on a secret indictment returned by the Federal Grand Jury last week and was released on $5,000 bail.

Bryant is accused of representing in the letters, which were unsigned that he was a member of the "(40 Strong." gang of shiftmen. Upon receipt of the first letter, dated August 31 and written from Oakland, guards were placed at the Standard plant and the Federal officers notified.

The letter gave Hanna two weeks in which to meet the demands of the shiftmen for more than a 10 per cent raise, a day off and double time for Sundays and holidays The letter was ignored and September 20, from Point Richmond, Bryant is accused of writing a second communication in face of a notice that a 10 per cent raise would be granted all employes.

In this letter Bryant is accused of saying:

"We have given you two weeks time, and you haven't came through yet, so look out for yourself. We have been waiting for you, but we haven't had a chance to see you yet, but as soon as we catch you in the right place we (40 Strong Shift Men.. will blow you to h—, and blow all the boilers to h——, too. We will get rid of you first and cripple the plant next. You are the cause of all this."

Bryant is said to have acted as spokesman for other employes, and other arrests are expected.

According to the city directory a man named Robert R. Bryant lives on Center Street near 24th. Whether this was the accused man could not be learned at that address today.

Assistant Superintendent R. W. Hanna deplored the publicity which had been given the matter and said he had no statement to make. The story as printed in the morning papers was not denied.

WINSTON CHARGED WITH PASSING BAD CHECKS

Ralph P. Winson of this city is under arrest in the city prison under $1,000 bail, charged with passing bad checks on local merchants.

Among those whom Winston is said to have victimized are A. Gaston $80; W. S. McRacken, $59; Adkison & McRacken, $25 and others. He will be arraigned Monday.

POSTPONE HEARING

Naturalization hearings set for November 16 have been postponed until December 6 in the Superior Court because of the "flu" epidemic.

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MRS. M. E. JENKS,
LESLIE JENKS,
ERNEST J. JENKS.

COMING EVENTS

November 27—Redmen's Annual Powwow East Shore Park. Tickets 50 cents. Ladies complimentary. Dancing, free refreshments, banjo jazz music and dance until 1 p. m.

Dec. 7.—Bazaar and dance by ladies of the South Richmond Improvement Club in Moose Hall.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR CONTRA COSTA COUNTY.
In the matter of the Estate of Longo Dailey Laithe, Deceased.
No. 4447.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Longo Dailey Laithe, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decendent to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator at the Law Offices of J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, Brown Building, Martinez, Contra Costa County California, which is hereby designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 18, 1918.

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SUNDAY MORNING CHATS

For three weeks my Sunday morning chats were with the doctor and nurse, and what I said to them I hope they will never tell the News readers. They were not chats—they were argufying over the pounds, quarts, pecks and gallons of pills, squills, powders, potions, hyperdermics, liniments and other things calculated to provoke profanity. So I am awful glad to be in the old think foundry again and grind out sure enough chats of a Saturday night before the rooster crows, because he is a Mormon and has two dozen more wives than the rest of us are allowed.

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About the war, we all have reason for feeling very thankful this nice Sunday morning, and there being no church we really ought to offer up a silent prayer of our own, of thankfulness to the power that guides all our destinies, because of the ending of the terrible tragedy which has well nigh wrecked the world now for over four years. The dispatches up to a late hour last night stated that the German congress had sent word to the representatives at the front to sign the armistrice and Allies peace terms, and this probably true. The wires also state that the kaiser will abdicate at once and the crown prince renounce all claim to the throne. This comes from the official German high command wireless and is more than likely authentic. The peace terms will probably be signed today, this being the last day of grace, and it is now a safe prediction that the great war is over.

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Somehow we feel as though there should yet be personal punishment for the devils in human shape, who have been responsible for the horrible atrocities which have been perpetrated by the millions, and we believe there will be, for the Allies feel just that same way. It is not Christian to be revengeful, but by jimminy, it is human, and most of us are only human—yet. We do not council the perpetration of cruelties, as two wrongs do not make a right, but surely the inhuman Huns who burned, murdered and tortued as they went, and those who allowed them to do it, and helped do it, should receive a just punishment for their crimes, and that can be nothing less than death by the firing squad.

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And speaking of being thankful, we all have that coming, because the fearful epidemic has passed, or practically so. It has been an awful ordeal, and left many darkened homes and saddened hearts, but it is over now, and those of us who were spared should have gratitude in our hearts. Especially should we be thankful for the many good friends who showed up and wanted to be of any service possible, thus proving their friendship at a time when that sort of thing counts double, and then some. This scribe feels as though he could never repay the hundreds of good friends, but if he lives long enough he will make a good stagger toward playing even. Thousands of us thought we were all just acquaintances, and come to find out we are good friends. It is worth millions to know that, and the whole community is bound to be the better for it.

Ursus in "Quo Vadis" was the first to throw the bull, but there have been many since.

Taking home company to dinner without notifying the wife requires more bravery than trench-fighting.

If you have nothing more important to crow about than the rooster has, don't get up before daylight like he does to do it.

JOYRIDER AND PEDESTRIAN

In a conversation with a number of gentlemen who own autos they held that the average pedestrian is a sort of d——n fool, who was much more to blame for these continued and everlasting fatal accidents than the autoists. Granted, for the sake of argument, that the average pedestrian is several kinds of fool, still it does not seem to be good logic that the autoist is thus entitled to kill him by running into him at the rate of a mile a minute, and scatter his mortal remains all over the townsite, to be swabbed up on blotting pads by mourning relatives, including his wife and children and old mother, who may love him even if he is a tarnation fool, not possessed with the Websterian brains and god like proclivities of the gentry who are leaving a trail of blood and bad smells behind them in their meteoric careers. It was further contended that a man driving a horse and buggy wouldn't enter subway even if he saw an auto already coming toward him. Well, why shouldn't he enter the subway? The subway was constructed for horses and people before there was an automobile in town. Why continued the arguer, one of those dodgasted Portugee farmers will not get out of the way with his team at all! Why should he get out of the way? Since when did the streets and roads become the exclusive property of the man with the automobile?

Talk any way you want, pro and con and back again, the fact still remains that it is the automobilists who are killing the people and not the people killing the autoists, though a reversal of the condition would not be an unwelcome change, just to see how the other fellow would relish having his liver and lights and things splashed around on the scenery.

The facts are that a certain class of auto men have become altogether too swelled up and need a rattling good trimming down. They get so used to going fast that the speed becomes a mania; it gets in their blood and brain and nerve, and as they are not the most temperate class in the world, as perhaps they will admit, a few drinks mixed with that fever makes what we daily and hourly see on the main thoroughfares of all our cities.

Better that every automobile in the land be destroyed than that one single human life be sacrificed unnecessarily, though negligence or otherwise.

We do not believe that any automobile or motorcycle should be allowed on any important business thoroughfare at all, under any circumstances, any more than a freight train, spike-wheeled Roman chariot with four snorting stallions abreast, or any other devilish death-dealing juggernaut. Make them keep on the side streets, and then pass laws and ordinances compelling both the autoists and the fool pedestrians to conform to proper regulations—and then elect officials who will enforce those laws, irrespective of who breaks them.

There are ten thousand people in this land who do not own an automobile, never did and never will, to one who does, therefore there are ten thousand reasons the automobile should get out of the way of the people instead of the people getting out of the way of the automobile—something the owner of that infernal machine cannot seem to absorb into that gigantic brain of his, even if the people have no more sense than rabbits.

When Paul is paid he doesn't road much about Peter being robbed.

Sometimes when we want to love our neighbor as ourselves she won't let us.

It doesn't matter much whether the political pot boils or not. It's the pot with the soup-bone in it that counts.

Some demand rights which they are not entitled to. When your "right," as you call it, wrongs somebody else, then it is not a right.

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Somewhere in France,

Dear Ones All: — Thought I would drop you a few lines. I wrote you three or four days ago also.

I would like to tell you all about the trip across, but am afraid they would not allow it. We were a long time on the water and the weather was ideal. In all, I was five years at sea, on the Pacific and always heard how rough the Atlantic was, but this time it was great, and I was thankful it was, as it was very crowded on board. I certainly was glad when we landed in England. We were there only a few days, at a so-called rest camp. England has a miserable climate, it it a wonderful country though, so clean and well kept up. The houses are mostly of brick and there will blocks and blocks of them all exactly alike, the windows washed as clean as possible and the curtains as white as snow and a curtain at every window; every little lawn and hedge trimmed as neat as a barber shaves a face. The roads are as clean as can be and every mile marked plainly and every cross road also. The English are very particular as to details like that.

The girls in Englanl nave nice complexions but are not collectively as pretty as our girls in the United States. Another thing in my trip across the United States and also in New York, England and France, you will not see clusters of pretty girls as you do in California. I have often heard that, now I know it to be so, also the English girl's shoes are as heavy as men's work shoes, they also wear woolen sox. Many of the women are doing men's work there. Everyone looks well fed. Don't let anyone kid you into believing there is any better place than our own United States. I have been nearly every place in the world and nowhere is there the plenty, as we have it at home.

From the rest camp we entrained again to a point in the south of England, where we took fast passage across the channel to France. They have a wonderful system there, have moved over 20,000,000 men back and forth and have never lost a man. They make fine time and being small, a submarine would have a hard time hitting one, about that trip across the channel I have seen some sea-sick crowds in my time, but these beat the world. would like to describe it but am afraid would not be able to eat for a few meals. We landed in France early in the morning, given an English breakfast of one cracker and piece of cheese, a cup of muddy coffee. Then hiked about five miles to another rest camp.

France is a wonderful country, something on the order of Spanish cities I have been in, the houses are mostly of stone and very ancient, and not as clean or well kept as England, the people are very friendly, and bright looking, and rather destitute too, havo suffered a lot. I am all for them.

I saw lots of German prisoners there, talked with some of them, they are treated well and look well fed. We were only there one day, then entrained and rode about 36 hours; wish you could have seen the cars, they are combination horse (chevaux.. and shommes.. men, eight horses and forty men, but not bad at that. I slept very well considering. We were still on English rations.

We went through fine farming country also, some fine cities would liked to have us stay over and look their towns over, but could not. They build fine bridges here and all highways cross over the tracks, so there are no accidents. We landed in a town about 8:00 o'clock p. m. and hiked about six miles to this town, where we are billited out in houses, barns, etc.

You may have heard of wonderful beds, but for the first time in nearly three weeks I slept where I could lay straight and believe me I sure pounded my ear.

I wish you could see this little town, it is just like villages we read about in stories. Old ani tiled roofs, very peculiar architecture, little winding crooked streets ,one can imagine what things have happened there in the last one thousand years. We took a walk yesterday to the east of here, there is a brook runs through town and we walked down to where it breaks, it bubbles up in a little cave that is a wonder in itself. Whoever built it put a big stone in the center, then piled stones in arches all around it and it stands as if it was built of bricks, there is a stone stairs leads up from it about fifty feet to a sort of a hollow near the top of a knoll, where I imagine they used to hold meetings, no one could go up or come down there without being seen. I don't know the name of this town and could not tell you if I did.

I feel fine and haven't gotten any thinner, so you see we are not faring bad, so don't worry about me. It is fine the fellows are cheerful and as far as I am concerned I never felt better, reminds me of when I was butting around the Philippines and Guam and Japan, those four years. I think of you all every day and hope it won't be long before I am back in the U. S. again. They seem to have the Huns on the run. Write soon to you loving son and brother.

Private Harry E. Thomas,
Co. E, 363 Inf.
American Expeditionary Forces.

Will you pay his dues to his club "over there"? They're less than 15c. a day

WILLING WORKERS

Mrs. C. D. Rogers of 649 22nd Street, is a mother that takes great interest and pride in the war activities of her children. Her daughter, Miss Grace C. Rogers, writes interesting letters from France about her work in the Bay hospital. Miss Grace is a graduate nurse from the Merrit hospital at Oakland, and joined the Red Cross nurses some time ago and was stationed in England for some time before going to France. Lieut. A. C. Rogers, a son of Mrs. Rogers is also on the way across the seas. He writes of a happy meeting on the way of his brother-in-law and they are now in the same company.

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MRS. ANDERSON "FLU" VICTIM

Mrs. Mary Anderson, age 30, native of Ireland, died at the Red Cross Hospital yesterday evening. She is the wife of Fred O. Anderson and resided at 253 14th Street. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon from the Curry Undertaking parlors, with interment at Sunset View cemetery.

MANNING REMAINS SHIPPED FROM NORTHERN CITY

The remains of Jas. C. Manning late of Pinole was shipped here from Butte, Montana, where he died of the "flu". He was 16 years old. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p. m. from the Curry parlors and interment in Sunset View cemetery.

Police Officer M. R. Sprague suffered a sprained ankle yesterday, when he stepped on a stone at the S. P. tracks.

WAR LABOR BOARD RULES EIGHT-HOUR DAY FOR WHEELING.

Walter Clark, sitting as umpire for the war labor board, decided the controversy between the molders and the Wheeling (W. Va.) Mold & Foundry company. In the interpretation of the war labor board award, it had been claimed that the eight-hour day was only a basic day for pay and that the provisions for overtime nullified it as a straight working day. The umpire ruled that the eight-hour day was a straight working day as well as a basic for pay and was to be exceeded only in emergency.

No Swiss General Strike.

Material concessions by the federal council to the demands by the organized Swiss workingmen have put an end to the talk of the general strike prevalent in the Alpine republic for several weeks, according to a dispatch from Berne printed in the Berliner Tageblatt of August 9. In view of the increase in the cost of living, the federal council has agreed to raise the yearly wages of the some 60,000 employees of the federal department $100, with an additional $10 for each child. This will bring the wage increases granted by the Swiss government during 1918 up to $20,000,000. Furthermore, the federal council is to take steps toward effecting a more equitable distribution of the scanty food supplies and toward reducing the hours of work of the railway men, as well as bringing about several other economic reforms.

Says General Pershing, referring to one of the war work organizations:

"A SENSE of obligation for the varied and useful service rendered to the army in France . . . . . prompts me to join in the appeal for its further financial support. I have opportunity to observe its operations, measure the quality of its personnel and mark its beneficial influence upon our troops, and I wish unreservedly to commend its work for the army."

—*General Pershing*

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FOR SALE—A fine 5-room, close in cottage, almost in the center of Richmond; easy installments. See us at once if you want to capture this great bargain; it is just what you want.—W. H. SANFORD. Phone 921, Richmond. 53-tf

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KENNISON REMAINS SHIPPED FOR CREMATION TODAY

The remains of Albert W. Kennison of 46 Idaho Avenue who died of the "flu" late Friday will be shipped to Sacramento at 9:30 this morning for cremation there.

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Bay Point Ship Yard Permanent

The shipyard at Bay Point is a permanent institution, says E. A. West, head of the Transportation and Housing Department of all yards on this coast for the United States Shipping Board. In an interview with Secretary Sherlock of the Concord Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, Mr. West stated that the Bay Point yard will be in operation with constantly increasing activity for at least ten years to come. As a proof of his assertion he pointed to the new town of Clyde where Uncle Sam has already taken a mortage of $750,000 and intends to double that sum. We all know that Uncle Sam does not lay out money on temporary fly-by-night security.

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TO BE TRIED FOR SANITY

Walter Ferguson was arrested by the local police Friday night for not wearing a mask, then his subsequent actions were such that Judge Odell ordered the police to hold him on an insanity charge.

He will be taken to Martinez next week when his sanity will be probed.

Lawrence H. Angell, who has been suffering for several months from a chronic ailment, died this morning at his home, 1125 Bissell Avenue. He was husband of Mrs. Erna Angell and father of Laverne and Eben Angell. He was a native of New York, aged 32 years.

Besides his family the deceased man leaves a father, E. T. Angell of Oakland, two brothers, C. E. Angell of Richmond and E. R. Angell of Oakland and a sister, Mrs. H. T. Shields of Oakland. The remains are at the Curry undertaking parlors.

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E. Haines of Stege is severely ill at his home with the "flu."

Otto Poulsen is still confined to his home, but is improving slowly but surely.

Mrs. N. Marshall has returned from San Jose to visit her mother, Mrs. T. H. Moore of 245 Fifth Street.

The Board of Supervisors will start Monday to canvass the vote cast Tuesday. The count will require several days.

Constantino Ferrario and Secretary Esteves are out on $10 bail, each following their arrest for not wearing "flu" masks.

Rev. J. C. Gillete of the First M. E. Church announces that Sunday School papers may be obtained at the Church tomorrow.

Quit spitting in the street cars. Any man who does a trick like that ought to have his nose rubbed in it, and be arrested beside.

Glad to see Egan building up such a good trade. One always rejoices in the prosperity of a good, square man—no others deserve success, and seldom get it.

News from our old Colorado home tells of snow and sleet. Thank the Lord for this glorious California climate, where no one has to freeze or buy coal by the carload.

Garfinkle got in a big shipment of those long, newfangled corsets yesterday, and after taking one scared look, we are giving thanks we are not possessed with a female from divine.

A petition has been filed to administer the estate of the late Louis M. Monte, who died of influenza. Mrs. Mary I. Monte is petitioner and Judge C. A. Odell attorney. The estate is valued at $5,000.

Harry Marcus has a carload of toys for the Christmas trade, which he has not had time to unpack and put on display yet, but will do so next week. We hope there are no roller skates or scooters among them.

Irene Mathos, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathos, 727 Sixteenth Street died yesterday. The remains have been removed to the Curry parlors where funeral arrangements will be made.

Mayor W. L. Lane who has been taking a much needed rest with relatives at Monterey, returned last night, much improved in health. Both his sons, who were influenza sufferers, are also steadily recuperating.

Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Garfinkle gave a little social party at their home, 433 Tenth Street, in honor of Cyrus Reid, a young soldier boy, and a number of friends dropped in and had a good time, as they always do at the Garfinkle home, with music and dancing and all that sort of thing.

Smithie the barber is all swelled up because he escaped the "flue." Well, we're glad of it, but the microbes will get him some day if he don't reform and join the meetin' house. There was one large red germ got into his shop, but Smithie went after it with that old tin razor he brought from Colorado, and gave it a hair cut and shave—which of course killed it.

Little Miss Bettie Pogue was one year old yesterday, and "granddad" presented her with her first dolly. And it was a circus to see her love that dolly. Tell you what, she is some fine young lady, even if her grandad, or one of 'em, is an editor.

RED CROSS HOSPITAL

The Red Cross Hospital will probably close Tuesday when all patients not yet well, will be removed to the Craven Hospital. But it is thought by the hospital management that nearly everyone in the hospital at present will be able to leave by then, if not before.

Elmer Conn was in town yesterday visiting his folks. He looks smart as can be in a spick and span uniform.

CAL. POULTRY ASSN. PROFITEERING ON EGGS?

That somebody is profiteering and robbing the public on eggs is apparent to anybody. We do not believe it is the retail grocer, and as to whether it is the middle man or the California Poultry Association, is hard to tell, but the Oakland Post, after digging down into the subject offers the following facts for consideration. If those figures be true, why can't the retail dealers get together, ship in the eggs themselves and put a stop to the robbery?

Is there profittering in eggs?

Ralph P. Merritt, federal food administrator for California, says there is not—that the present price of 95c a dozen exacted from consumers is due to an "egg shortage"!—and he cites the bromidical theory of "supply and demand" in defending the California Poultrymen's Association, which is responsible for the present egg price gouging.

Is there profiteering in eggs. Here is the answer:

Strictly fresh "extra" eggs—shipped here by express from Colorado and Kansas—are being sold today by E. J. Merritt, proprietor of the chain of California Groceterias in Oakland and Berkeley, for 68c a dozen. Grocer Merritt is not related to the food administrator.

The eggs offered to consumers by Grocer Merritt are guaranteed to be fresh. He says they are just as big and as fine as the eggs being sold to consumers for 94c a dozen.

Five carloads of these eggs have been shipped to Oakland by one of the big packing companies at the solicitation of Grocer Merritt. Five more carloads are on their way.

Back in Kansas and Colorado, where they were bought from farmers and rushed here to break the present egg market, they cost 53c a dozen. With wholesalers' profits, express charges and retailers' profits added, they can still be sold here for two-third of the price demanded by California's egg trust.

While California extra eggs were selling today for 89 cents a dozen wholesale, the same quality eggs were selling in Chicago for 55c a dozen wholesale.

The Illinois representative of the United States Food Administration has a nation-wide reputation for protecting consumers against food price gougers. On several occasions he has landed profiteer in jail.

According to Associated Press market quotations, "freshly gathered extra eggs" were selling today in New York for 68c a dozen—or 21c a dozen less than they were in San Francisco and Oakland.

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L. G. and Mary J. Plumley, to Jenny Epstein, mtge, $1200 title and interest to property shown on "Amended Map Town of Byron, Epsten's Addition."

Pharach Hedley, to Erna Hedley, gift deed, lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, block 6, Richmond, Harber Addition.

LEON MARTIN DEAD

Leon S. Martin, member of the law firm of Keyes & Martin of Berkeley, well known in Richmond, was killed at the front according to word received by Berkeley friends.

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